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VOLUME FIFTY ONE

8 CRIMINAL CASES FOR CIRCUIT COURT

COURT CONVENES NEXT TUESDAY, APRIL 9

It appears that Judge Smith will find plenty to do when circuit court opens here next Tuesday, April 9th. Eight cases appear on the criminal calendar, and two jury civil cases and three chancery cases.

Prominent among the cases are three for violation of the prohibition law, one for forgery and two for rape. Another of special importance is that in the matter of appeal from probate court with reference to Mary J. Wood Estate of Detroit. The appeal was filed by Wm. F. Austin et al., contestants and appellants. The latter are represented by Stevenson, Butzel, Eaman & Long of Detroit, and the respondents by Lodge & Brown, of Detroit. Two divorce cases and the petition of the Auditor General for the sale of delinquent tax lands appear on the chancery calendar.

The cases as they appear on the calendar are as follow:

Criminal Cases

Robert Alexander—Violation of the prohibition law.

Ed. Headstate—Violation of the Prohibition law.

William Slade—Rape.

Earl Barber—Violation of the prohibition law.

Loren Richardson—Forgery.

Jury Civil Cases

John Malco vs. Charles H. Marker—Trespass on the case.

In the matter of the appeal of Wm. F. Austin, et al. Contestants and Appellants from an order of the Probate Court allowing and admitting to Probate the last Will and Testament of Mary J. Wood, deceased—Appeal from Probate Court.

Chancery Cases

Lena M Clothier vs. Ernest E. Clothier—Divorce.

Pearl M. Gibson vs. Edwin Gibson—Divorce.

In the matter of the Petition of Oramel B. Fuller, Auditor General for the sale of certain land for the taxes assessed thereon (for the year 1926 and previous years.)

List of Jurors

William Love, Beaver Creek.

George Hunter, Frederic.

Chris Johnson, Grayling.

T. E. Douglas, Lovells.

Archie Howes, Maple Forest.

Charles E. Scott, South Branch.

Allen B. Failing, Beaver Creek.

Harold Leggett, Frederic.

Otto Failing, Grayling.

Joseph Duby, Lovells.

Archie Lazom, Maple Forest.

Hugo Schrieber, Jr., South Branch.

Albert Moon, Beaver Creek.

John Highlen, Frederic.

Carl B. Larson, Grayling.

James Knibbs, Maple Forest.

Henry F. Scott, South Branch.

Mac Newlin, Beaver Creek.

Albert Roberts, Grayling.

John Anderson, Maple Forest.

Ernest P. Richardson, South Branch.

Herman Miller, Beaver Creek.

Conrad Sorenson, Grayling.

Arthur Fox, Maple Forest.

MICH. LEGISLATIVE NEWS LETTER

Michigan Press Association, Lansing Bureau

"Speed" is the present slogan of the legislature and the way the bills are going through the mill augurs well for a spectacular finish earlier than many of the members had dared hope. Very few new bills are being introduced and both houses are grinding hard on those which are coming from committees. Committees of both houses are holding morning and evening sessions, reporting out a few bills from the mass in their hands, pigeon-holing many more and giving scant consideration to those which are unimportant. Occasionally some obstructionist tries to gum the works and stir up a row, but seldom with any great effect.

Among the paramount work of the week was the favorable report of the Senate judiciary committee Wednesday on the amendments to the criminal code, which had already passed the House and was approved by the Senate Thursday by unanimous vote. The Cuthbertson bill, which was freely amended in the Senate, went back to the House, which refused concurrence in the Senate's amendments and will probably go to a conference committee.

Financial matters are almost as good as settled with the proposition of imposing an eight-tenths mill tax for hospitalization program. It may be changed to a half mill or three-quarters mill, but the bill as a whole seems satisfactory to a large number of the legislators. It is proposed to levy this mill tax for a definite period of four years, which it is thought will take care of the urgent needs. A mill tax is favored for the reason that the revenue must be used for specific purposes and no portion of it may be diverted.

The poorer school districts of the state are almost certain to get state aid before this session closes. A bill introduced by Senator Turner and which would distribute \$2,000,000 from the general fund among these districts passed the Senate Wednesday by a vote of 24 to 8. A similar bill passed at the last session but was ineffective because no tax clause was attached. The present bill carries a tax clause.

The two houses are in difference in the tax clauses on the oil severance measure. The Senate wants the state to have half of the revenue collected from the oil and gas well projects, counties and townships to split the other half. The House wants state, county and township to each have one-third.

"The Mackinaw Trail" will be the official title of old 181 and 31, from the Indiana line to Mackinaw City, if Miles Callaghan's bill is approved by the Senate. It passed the House Monday night.

A bill providing that prosecuting attorneys of the state shall hold an annual meeting at Lansing, expenses to be paid by the counties, was passed by the House Monday night.

Rep. Holbeck's drainage bill has now passed both houses. It will give relief to several districts now severely

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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, APRIL 4, 1929

OSCAR P. SCHUMANN, Editor and Proprietor

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1. Mexican federales in charge to drive rebels out of Torreon. 2. President Hoover's three secretaries, George Akerson, Lawrence Richey and Walter Newton. 3. Henry L. Stimson, new secretary of state, and his wife arriving in Washington.

ELECTION SPRINGS MANY SURPRISES

BARNETT DEFEATS NELSON FOR SUPERVISOR

With weather more adapted to Christmas than to April 1st election day looked anything but a good day for getting out the voters. However

the interest was keen in several instances and many made special effort to be on hand so as to exercise their right of suffrage. The rural population fared the worst for all highways were blocked beyond hope of auto traffic. Down river residents appealed for assistance and the country snowplow made heroic efforts to break a road in that direction. They succeeded fairly well until that finally got stuck and crosswise of the highway and it wasn't until the following day that the plow could get back into the highway. With that much of the road open several cars from the eastern part of the township braved the elements and managed to get to the polls in time to vote.

The biggest surprise of the election was the heavy defeat of Tony Nelson for supervisor by Frank A. Barnett. All day long cars were carrying voters to the polls in the interest of both candidates. When the voters were counted it was found that Mr. Barnett had polled 235 votes and Mr. Nelson 173.

Chris Jenson held down the majority of Charles McCullough to 41 for the office of clerk. It was a neck and neck race between Carl Peterson and Carl Jenson for the office of treasurer, the latter winning by 4 votes. Hans Petersen defeated Emil Kraus for the office of justice of the peace by 41 votes.

How They Voted

Supervisor—Frank A. Barnett, r..... 235

Anthony J. Nelson, d..... 173

Clerk—Chris Jenson, r..... 180

Charles O. McCullough, d..... 226

Treasurer—Carl W. Peterson, r..... 200

Carl Jenson, d..... 204

Highway Commissioner—Wilbur Broadbent, r..... 188

James McDonnell, d..... 211

Member Board of Review—E. Grant Shaw, r..... 232

Clayton Strachay, d..... 165

Justice of the Peace—Emil Kraus, r..... 183

Hans Petersen, d..... 224

Overseer highways No. 1—Leonard Isenhauer, r..... 249

Peter F. Jorgenson, d..... 155

Overseer highways No. 2—Henry Stephan, r..... 240

Rudolph Feldhauser, d..... 166

Constables—Hans L. Peterson, r..... 247

Frank X. Tetu, d..... 155

Robert L. Chappell, r..... 233

Johannes Rasmussen, d..... 173

Sherman Neal, r..... 254

Niels Nielsen, d..... 145

George Bielski, r..... 181

Earl Nelson, d..... 217

The elections in the other townships of the county elected the following supervisors.

Frederic—Albert Lewis.

Beaver Creek—George Annis.

Maple Forest—Rufus Edmonds.

Lovells—J. E. Kellogg.

South Branch—Oliver B. Scott.

The state ticket went heavily Republican in all townships.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the voters for the fine support accorded me at the election Monday, April 1st, when I was elected township treasurer.

Carl Jenson.

Read your home paper.
Subscribe for the Avalanche.

MASONS TO HAVE PAST MASTERS NIGHT

Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. will observe a past masters' night Thursday evening, April 11th. Plans are being made to entertain a number of those now residing elsewhere as well as those here at home.

Special invitations are being issued to the following past masters:

M. A. Bates, Allen B. Failing, Efner Matson, Frank Sales, John Braun, Geo. N. Olson, Harold G. Jarmin, C. S. Strachay, all of Grayling; F. L. Michelson, Detroit; Fred Narrin, Lansing; James Overton, Flint, A. L. Foster, Gladstone; Frank Freeland, Detroit and R. W. Brink, Bay City.

Past Grand Master Geo. L. Lush of Bay City and possibly other high officers of Grand Lodge and masters of Bay City, West Branch, Roscommon and Gaylord also are expected to be present.

JUNIOR CLASS TO PRESENT PLAY

"THE GHOST BIRD"

Friday night, April 12, the mystery comedy "The Ghost Bird" will be presented at the High School auditorium by the Junior class of Grayling High School.

The story is full of thrills and laughter making it one of the most enjoyable plays of the year. The mystery element introduced at the beginning of the play is not solved until the final curtain when the ghost bird is at last caught.

The cast has been carefully selected from the members of the Junior class, and a great deal of time has been spent in practice under the direction of Mr. Hill.

Tickets are on sale now and can be purchased from any member of the Junior class. Due to the fact that the seating capacity of the High school auditorium is limited, you are advised to get your tickets early and thus assure yourself of a good seat.

Reserved seats will be on sale at the Central Drug Store beginning at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning, April 10. Come early and get your choice of the seats.

Admission, adults 50c. Children 25c. Reserved seats 10c.

THANKS TO VOTERS

I hereby wish to express my thanks and appreciation to the voters of Beaver Creek township for their votes. I shall do my best to give our citizens an able and fair representation. By working together progressively and in harmony we should be able to accomplish the utmost in the interest of all.

George Annis,
Supervisor Elect.

So long as mother spends \$7.50 at the beauty shop while dad shaves himself, you can expect a condition of unrest in the home.

Intelligence is not always satisfying. In law neither a king nor a fool can do any wrong.

GOSSIP

The automobile has brought former distant places closer and closer together, including our house and the poorhouse.

So long as mother spends \$7.50 at the beauty shop while dad shaves himself, you can expect a condition of unrest in the home.

When Congressmen talk about the consumer they mean, of course, the hot air consumer.

MAYOR OLSEN APPOINTS OFFICERS

Mayor Chris W. Olsen made the following appointments at the regular meeting held Monday night for the ensuing year:

President pro-temp.—A. L. Roberts.

Village Marshal—Johannes Rasmussen.

Fire chief and warden—Anthony J. Nelson.

Street commissioner, health officer, assistant marshal and waterworks commissioner—Julius Nelson.

Standing Committees

Finance, Claims & Accounts—Giegling, Shaw and Joseph.

Streets, Sidewalks, Bridges & Sewers—Joseph, Giegling and Shaw.

Waterworks, Lighting & Fire Dept.—Roberts, Nadeau and Joseph.

Health and Public Safety—Nadeau, Roberts and Cassidy.

Printing, Licenses and Ordinances—Shaw, Cassidy and Giegling.

Salaries—Cassidy, Roberts and Nadeau.

Industrial—Council at large with C. W. Olsen as chairman.

MRS. MARY TURNER PASSED AWAY

HAD BEEN RESIDENT OF GRAYLING SINCE 1881

SUCH IS LIFE
to
Candy Surface
Can't Break Them



VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the 14th day of March A. D. 1929. Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by President H. Petersen.

Trustees present: George McCullough, A. J. Joseph, Emil Giegling, A. L. Roberts, E. G. Shaw, and Thos. Cassidy.

Report of the Finance committee read as follows:

To the president and members of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling:

Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts to whom was referred the matter of settlement and audit of the accounts of the village clerk and village treasurer do herewith respectfully report that they have examined the said accounts and have compared the items entered in said accounts and found that the same do compare and that the entries of the clerk and the treasurer are correct and accurately entered, and that we have cancelled the warrants drawn on the treasurer by the clerk and returned them to the clerk. Further that we have compared the total balance on hand as shown by the treasurer's report with the balance shown by the bank records and found that there was on hand on this 14th day of March, 1929, the sum of \$7,650.12.

Further we find that the accounts of the clerk and treasurer are accurately kept and we respectfully request that the report be accepted and adopted and that the committee be discharged from further consideration of the matter.

Emil Giegling,
E. G. Shaw,
G. W. McCullough,
Committee.

set our hands and affixed the seal of the Village of Grayling this 14th day of March, 1929.

Thomas Cassidy,
A. L. Roberts,
Emil Giegling,
A. J. Joseph,
George McCullough,
E. G. Shaw.

Attest: Roy O. Milnes, Clerk.

Moved by Emil Giegling and supported by A. J. Joseph that the Certificate of Determination as submitted for the annual Village election of the Village of Grayling be accepted, approved and adopted. Yea and nay vote called. All members voting yea. Motion carried.

Moved by G. McCullough and supported by Thos. Cassidy that the accounts of the members of the Board of Election Inspectors be accepted and approved and that the Clerk be ordered on the treasurer for the following:

Clarence B. Johnson, clerk.....\$6.00
Wilfred Laurant, clerk.....6.00
Arthur Wendt, inspector.....6.00
Hans Petersen, inspector.....6.00
G. W. McCullough, inspector.....6.00
Chas. Fehr, arranging booths and gates.....6.00

Yea and nay vote called. All present voting yea. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the board adjourn. Motion carried.

R. O. Milnes, H. Petersen, Clerk.

Special meeting held on the 18th day of March A. D. 1929. Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by President H. Petersen.

Trustees present: Thomas Cassidy, A. L. Roberts, E. G. Shaw, Emil Giegling, A. J. Joseph and George W. McCullough.

Motion called for the purpose of receiving bids on the Michigan Avenue paving project.

Following is the form of bids:

Summary of Audit of the Village Clerk and Treasurer's Books

| Fund | Bal. on hand Mar. 15, 1928. | Receipts | Total | Disbursements | Bal. on hand Mar. 14, 1929. |
|--|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| Contingent | \$18,349.70 | \$ 2,105.75 | \$20,455.45 | \$10,296.40 | \$10,159.05 |
| Street | 4,967.66 | 5,007.36 | 9,975.02 | 2,089.03 | 7,886.99 |
| Sewer | 2,416.63 | 54.31 | 2,470.94 | 386.25 | 2,086.69 |
| Waterworks | 14,061.92 | 12,113.31 | 1,948.61 | 10,538.90 | 12,507.51 |
| (od) | | | | | |
| Dog Fund | 200.00 | 200.00 | 200.00 | | |
| Total | \$11,872.07 | \$19,280.73 | \$31,152.98 | \$7,623.22 | |
| This \$200.00 from Dog License Fund transferred to Contingent Fund. | | | | | |
| Check number 291 from Contingent fund is outstanding, amount \$10.00 | | | | | |
| Check number 97 from Street fund is outstanding, amount 6.00 | | | | | |
| Check number 98 from Street fund is outstanding, amount 1.75 | | | | | |
| Check number 100 from Street fund is outstanding, amount 3.00 | | | | | |
| Check number 101 from Street fund is outstanding, amount 3.00 | | | | | |
| Check number 228 from Waterworks fund is outstanding, amount 3.15 | | | | | |
| Total outstanding | | | | | \$26.90 |

Moved by Emil Giegling and supported by A. J. Joseph that the report of the clerk and treasurer be accepted, approved and adopted. Yea and nay vote called. Yeas: Cassidy, Roberts, McCullough, Giegling, Joseph, and Shaw. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Certificate of determination of the canvass of the votes at the annual Village election held on Monday, March 11th, 1929.

The Board of Canvassers of the Village of Grayling has ascertained and canvassed the votes of the General Election of the Village of Grayling held on Monday, March 11th, 1929, do hereby certify and determine that:

Christian W. Olsen, having received the largest number of votes cast for President is hereby declared elected to the office of President.

Lorane Sparks, having received the largest number of votes cast for Clerk is hereby declared elected to the office of Clerk.

Herluf Sorenson, having received the largest number of votes cast for Treasurer is hereby declared elected to the office of Treasurer.

Thos. Cassidy, having received the largest number of votes cast for second trustee is hereby declared elected to the office of second trustee.

Walter Nadeau, having received the largest number of votes cast for third trustee is hereby declared elected to the office of third trustee.

J. W. Sorenson, having received the largest number of votes cast for the office of assessor is hereby declared elected to the office of assessor.

In witness whereof we have hereunto signed.

Signed.

Emil Giegling, Clerk.

A. L. Roberts, Clerk.

Emil Giegling, Clerk.

George McCullough, Clerk.

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Get your KODAK out and try your luck with KODAK FILM in the yellow box.



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THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1929

MANY ALREADY INTERESTED IN EAST MICHIGAN VACATION

Inquiries from the advertising placed this season by the East Michigan Tourist association are being received at the office and literature is being sent out to the inquirers. Some indication of the number of inquiries which are being elicited by East Michigan Tourist association's advertising may be gained when it is stated that the inquiry list sent out to members of the association March 26 contained five pages or precisely 105 inquiries. These inquiries came from direct mail advertising, publicity and display advertisements which appeared in magazines. Advertising has been scheduled for the May and June issues of Field & Stream, Outdoor America, and Forest & Stream. A writeup on Michigan state parks, placed by the East Michigan Tourist association, and a page advertisement inviting residents of other states to visit Michigan state parks, will appear in the May issue of the National Sportsman.

E. M. T. TO BOOST SPECIAL OUT-DOOR PROGRAMS

One of the features which the East Michigan Tourist association will incorporate in all of its national advertising this year is the listing of the outdoor events of nation-wide or mid west interest which will take place in East Michigan during the summer. Among those which will be listed are the 75th anniversary of the birth of the Republican Party at Jackson, the Michigan State Tennis Tournament, the yacht races on Tahquamenon, the professional Golf Tournament at Pontiac, etc.

The East Michigan Tourist association is asking the cooperation of its members in the preparation of the listing of these outstanding events and requests that members notify the association of scheduled events which could properly be listed in this manner.

A REAL BUY

My bungalow on East Main St. on two lots, modern in every way. Cooking stove, bath, electric lights, hot water heating system, 5 tons of coal table because, as he said, "many are interested."

Subscribe for the Avalanche.

King George Enjoys Sunshine



For the first time since he became ill nearly four months ago, King George was able to go out in the grounds of Craigwell house, Bognor, England, where, accompanied by the queen, he spent an hour in the beautiful sunshine.

Local Happenings

Mrs. Phoebe Owens returned Wednesday from Ferndale, where she had spent a pleasant winter visiting her daughter and family.

Notice the attractive and clever poster advertisements for Cupid-Up-To-Date which is scheduled for April 10th.

Mildred Hanson had the members of her confirmation class and a few other Danish young people at a dinner Wednesday evening. Games and contests were enjoyed. Anna Hanson and Martha Sorenson won prizes.

Clarence Howard, three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feldhauser passed away at their home in Lovells yesterday morning after a few days illness. The remains are at the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feldhauser and the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

Please return all milk bottles to Burows Market at once.

Special on vacuum cleaners now at Michigan Public Service Co. Famous General Electric Company Moto-brush sweeper, only \$39.50 this month. Spayer free. Call 154 for demonstration.

The remains of Miss Isel Larson of Saginaw were brought to Grayling yesterday for burial, services being held at the Michelson Memorial church in the afternoon. Rev. J. W. Greenwood conducting same. Miss Isel formerly resided in Grayling with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Phillips, they moving to Saginaw about nine years ago. The cause of death was tuberculosis from which she had been ailing for some time. The young woman was about 25 years old and is survived by her parents and several brothers and sisters.

Just as we had begun to believe that spring had actually arrived and that we could get out the old spade and rake, and tulips were appearing and the arbutus was beginning to open its blossoms, snow came Sunday morning to let us know that we were still in winter. The beautiful days of last week turned into blizzard winter over night. Playing golf on Saturday and winter sports Sunday is the record of over last week end. And the storm that started at about 8 a.m. Sunday did not let up until some time Monday night. Grayling had about ten inches of snow on the level and wherever drifted piles were of real mid-winter proportions. All highways were impassable. The state and county snowplows had a hard time to open the roads. The storm seemed to be general in the state where much damage was done to power and telephone lines. Thousands of electric and telephone poles were down, communication was almost entirely suspended. High winds and sleet added their destructive elements. Tuesday and Wednesday brot sunshine and reduced the snow and a warm rain last night has just about wiped out the evidence of the storm of the first of the week.

I brush, brush my teeth morn, noon and night.

That is why they are so white. My exercise I get too, Which makes me fresh and new.

These make me look each morning As fresh as a queen.

—By Thelma L. Chappel.

"Fresh as a Queen"
I am a child who is cheerful and clean.
And I look every morning as fresh as a queen.

My hands which I wash before meals,
But I scrub once a day from my head to my heels.

Each morning I have a clean handkerchief,
It is use to prevent germs to my belief.

With windows wide open I get my rest,
For without it I would not be at my best.

I brush, brush my teeth morn, noon and night.

That is why they are so white.

My exercise I get too,
Which makes me fresh and new.

These make me look each morning As fresh as a queen.

—By Virginia Engel.

MICHIGAN HAS STRONG HEALTH APPEAL

(By E. M. T. Service)

That Michigan is rapidly leaping to the forefront among the states which have a peculiar appeal because of their healthful ozone is exemplified in inquiries which are received by the East Michigan Tourist association.

Its mineral baths, pure water and water-washed air, to say nothing of the pine and balsam, are contributing factors in this appeal. It is widely advertised as a mecca for the sufferers from hay fever and asthma.

Physicians are directing their patients toward Michigan for rest and recuperation. One inquiry from an Ohio physician requested the East Michigan Tourist association to send him a package of literature for his office.

He will keep you warm all winter. Fireplace, garage. Priced very low. A. M. Lewis. See O. P. Schumann, 31

Subscribe for the Avalanche.

For Early Summer



A distinctive frock featuring angular designs in both the beige rayon moire blouse and the black rayon crepe skirt.

Dub Spider Pladner Champ



The International Boxing Union, ruling body of the sport in Europe, sent a cablegram to the New York State Athletic commission stating that it had named Spider Pladner world's flyweight champion on the strength of the French boy's victory over Frankie Gernaro of New York.

Pladner had previously knocked out Johnny Hill, English champion, and had outpointed Izzy Schwartz, recognized as the champion in New York state.

Try our eggs, they are strictly fresh.

RED CROSS CHAPTERS STRENGTHEN FOR DISASTER RELIEF

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

Bennett has a large tract of land in the rocky hilly timber lands of northern Mississippi, and one of his agricultural neighbors is a native Mississippian with a family of ten children. Forty acres of the two hundred and forty acres of rocks and pine trees which he owns are in meager cultivation. He and his wife and ten children occupy a shack of four rooms, and together they manage to eke out a fairly comfortable and contented existence. The little ledges of hillsides which with unremitting toil the mountaineer has terraced and fertilized grows a little spindly corn, and toadsweet sweet potatoes. A few lean hogs pick up a living among the roots and nuts and thin grass of the uncleared forest. There are chickens and dogs, of course, and a mule or two and a couple of cows about the barnyard, and a patch of hay land along the creek bottom. Forty acres at best is not much for twelve people to live upon even when the soil is fertile, but there is corn bread and bacon and potatoes and occasionally a few hogs or a steer and a dozen or two of eggs to carry down to the village to replenish the clothing which will wear out, and to add to or to season the bill of fare.

"How do you ever manage to bring up so large a family and to exist on a place like this?" Bennett asked his neighbor one day when he looked over the rocky unfertile hillside.

"Well," his neighbor drawled slowly, "it's mostly in learnin' to do without things."

These enlarged and strengthened plans for disaster relief are set forth in the revised Red Cross manual,

"When Disaster Strikes," which has been placed in the hands of every Red Cross chairman throughout the nation.

The plan to encourage adoption of these added disaster preparedness methods was begun at this time because Red Cross records—covering 43 years of disaster relief—show that the period of the greatest number of disasters, large and small, ranges from the early Spring through the early Fall.

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| Bottle Cappers | 89c | |
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| Carpet Beaters | 15c | |
| Varnish Brush | 10 qt. Galvanized Sprinkler Cans | 5. 10 and 15c |
| 36 inch by 6 feet Window Shades | 86c | |
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| Velocipedes | 52.33 | |
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Hanson Hardware Co.

Phone 21

News Briefs

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1929

Frank Tetu is in Flint on business for a couple of days.

O. F. Barnes of Lansing was in Grayling on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gross of Detroit visited relatives here over Easter.

DeVere Schmidt spent the week end in Bay City.

You can get your pipe fittings here Grayling Hardware.

Charles Austin of Flint was a guest of Miss Margaret Weiss over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dyer of Detroit visited relatives here over Easter.

Grayling 5c to \$1.00 store is displaying a flashy new awning. The Grayling Hardware store also has a new awning.

Paint! Paint! Paint!

When you think of Paint!
Think of us!

Paint information and advice
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Our many years of experience as dealers in interior and exterior house paints as well as in furniture, paints and varnishes, enables us to render the best of service. Let us help you to solve your paint problems.

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Koverfloor for wood and cement floors
Martin's 100 per cent Pure House Paint
B. P. S. White House Paint
Patton's White House Paint
Bradley & Vrooman's House Paint

Duco Laquers
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Mimax Spraying Laquers
S. V. W. Koverlac

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Kalkomo—mix with cold water
Alabastine—deep colors

Flat White and undercoats for Enamels and Laquers

Jure Turpentine and Pure Linseed Oil

Cheer the Home with Color

Chase away the gloom with lively, stimulating gayety of color on furniture, floors and woodwork. It is the best tonic to keep away the blues.

What about Bradley & Vrooman's base and tinter paint? Through this system we can offer you the greatest selection of colors for outside and inside use. Always fresh and easy to mix.

Wall Paper

We are offering a fine embossed wall paper in our 1929 line at 21c single roll. Other patterns as low as 3 1/2c single roll. Our 1929 Sample Book is now ready for distribution. Ask for a copy.

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You want a capable painter or paper hanger

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A full supply of House Cleaning needs.

Sorenson Brothers

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Burrow's Market

Phone No. 2

Miss Martha Bigris who is employed in Detroit is visiting at her home here this week.

Don't forget that if you have milk bottles belonging to Burrows Market to return them at once.

J. Fred Alexander returned Monday night, after a week's visit with friends in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nielsen entertained the members of the latter's family at dinner on Easter.

Mrs. Gladys Wilcox and family who have been in Cleveland for the winter have returned to Grayling to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Coutts and children of Detroit visited the Sherman Neal family the first of the week.

George J. Grapier of Detroit is opening a hotel in the Burton hotel building across from the Michigan Central depot.

A. R. Craig left for Detroit Tuesday night to purchase new equipment to use in cake baking at the Model bakery.

The Fellowcraft team of Grayling Lodge, F. & A. M. will meet Tuesday evening, April 9. All members of the lodge are invited.

A number of local people attended a chicken supper at Roscommon last evening given by the ladies of St. Michael's Altar society.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Webb returned Saturday to their home in Mt. Pleasant after spending the winter months in Grayling at the home of their daughter Mrs. C. G. Clippert.

Special on vacuum cleaners now at Michigan Public Service Co. Famous Federal Electric Company Moto-brush sweeper, only \$39.50 this month. Sprayer free. Call 154 for demonstration.

H. W. Johnson representative of the Supreme Council Knights of Columbus is in Grayling today and tonight there will be a special meeting of the local council with Mr. Johnson as their guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cripps and children of Lansing were in Grayling over Easter and while here were busy making preparations to ship their household furniture to Lansing where they have been making their home since December.

Miss Gertrude Foley and Mr. Philip Boucher of Detroit were guests of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Foley from Wednesday until Sunday. On their return to Detroit they were accompanied by Mrs. Alonzo Collier, who is spending the week with relatives and friends.

Mrs. S. J. Graham who has been spending some time in North Carolina and later in Detroit arrived home last Saturday, leaving again Sunday to visit in Milwaukee. Mrs. Graham is accompanied by her brother T. W. Hanson, they taking Miss Virginia back to school in Chicago, enroute to Milwaukee.

Mrs. Anna Hermann, daughter Miss Vella and granddaughter Helen Elaine MacLeod are spending the week in Lansing, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hermann. They drove down with Lorane Sparks who returned Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Sparks and children, who had been visiting there for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Greenwood chaperoned a group of about 20 boys and girls for coasting party Monday night. They went to one of the hills off Du Pont road where they found the snow crusted and ideal for tobogganing and plenty of speed was reported for the toboggans. It was an unusual April 1st party and greatly enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDonnell enjoyed a visit from their daughter and husband. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dingman of Detroit and Fenton over Easter. Also Mrs. McDonnell's mother Mrs. A. Goff of Bay City is here for several weeks visiting her father Mr. Goff returning to Bay City Tuesday driving through with the Dingmans on their return.

Leon LaMotte and family and Floyd Lovely drove up from Detroit and visited at the Louis LaMotte and Paul Lovely homes over Easter. Mrs. Lovely accompanied them on their return to Detroit to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson returned Saturday from Mt. Pleasant after spending the week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Willard Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell accompanied them home returning to Mt. Pleasant the same day.

Coach Ralph Wonders of the Gaylord High School and his mother of Rockford, Mich., visited Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Greenwood Saturday. That evening the Greenwoods had as their dinner guests, Misses Eleanor Schumann and Louise Clark of Grand Rapids.

We wish to appeal to the public to return to our market all milk bottles belonging to us. There are hundreds out and we need them at once. If you can't bring them to us please phone and we will call for same. Burrows Market. Phone 2. Please act at once.

Rev. Kjolhede accompanied by Mrs. Kjolhede will leave the last of the week for Chicago, where on Sunday the former will ordain his granddaughter's husband into the ministry. Owing to his absence there will be no services in the Danish-Lutheran church next Sunday. However there will be Sunday school at the usual hour 9:00.

Miss Eleanor Schumann was home from Grand Rapids last week for spring vacation. She had as her guest over the week end Miss Louise Clark a former Grayling teacher who is now employed in the Grand Rapids public library. All returned to Grand Rapids Sunday and were accompanied by Mary Esther Schumann who is spending the week in the Furniture City.

James Eden of Petoskey was a visitor at the home of Wm. Weiss last week.

Ernest Olson and Gordon Underwood of Pontiac visited in Grayling over Easter.

We do pipe fitting and tinshop work. Grayling Hardware.

Miss Genevieve Montour of Ann Arbor spent Easter visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Montour.

Mrs. Lucille Hanson of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hanson.

Word from Bay City announces the birth of a nine pound son, Edward Eugene, to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cody (Gladys Miller) on March 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collier and daughter Matilda and the former's mother Mrs. Mary Collier are spending the week in Detroit visiting relatives.

Edgar Douglas and family, who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Douglas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Collier moved back to their home in Lovells Saturday.

The home of Charles Corwin was the scene of a pleasant dancing party Saturday night, given before they move back to their farm in Pere Cheney for the summer.

Miss Dorothy Hoesli is spending the spring vacation in Durand visiting her sister Miss Viva Hoesli and cousin Mrs. Forrest D. Barber.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion will be held next Tuesday night, April 9 at the Legion hall.

Carl W. Peterson who was defeated by Carl Jensen by four votes for the office of township treasurer has filed an application for a recount of the votes.

Call the Vanity Box and make an appointment for a Gabriele permanent. I will give these in either Roscommon or Grayling as desired, price \$10. Mrs. Jess Green.

Dr. C. C. Wescott of Ypsilanti was a guest at the home of Mrs. J. K. Hanson over Easter. Mrs. Wescott, who came several weeks ago owing to the illness of her mother is still here.

Edward Mayotte spent Easter at his home in Munising. Returning to Grayling Sunday night he was forced to leave his car at Mackinaw owing to the highways being blocked with snow.

Mrs. Clare Smith and daughter Betty Jane of Lansing are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McNeven. Mr. Smith and Clifton Eddy who accompanied them here returned Sunday.

Shopwork promptly attended to, Grayling Hardware.

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Gerald Scott, 7 years old and the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Leader of Detroit, former residents of Grayling passed away at their home Monday after a several months illness of leakage of the heart. Besides his parents the little boy is survived by one brother George and three sisters, Mrs. Mabel Gaffney, Mrs. Grace Hazel and Miss Mary at home. The family have many friends in Grayling who extend their sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

It being Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen's birthday anniversary Monday, several of her friends called on her in the afternoon to remind her of the occasion. One of her daughters had sent her a lovely birthday cake which together with other good things were enjoyed when the usual afternoon coffee was served. The guest of honor was also the recipient of gifts of flowers and best wishes from her children. Although Mrs. Rasmussen has been an invalid for years she is always in a cheerful mood and glad to see her friends. May she have many more happy birthdays.

Although Sunday was a stormy day Grayling people filled the churches so that Easter was beautifully observed. Flowers, special music and fine Easter messages by the pastors of each church were enjoyed by large congregations. The Danish-Lutheran church had special services on Thursday evening with communion, also on Good Friday afternoon, the services on Sunday beginning at 10:00. At the Sunday service at Michelson Memorial church Rev. Greenwood's sermon on "Christ liveth in me" was enjoyed by a large congregation. At St. Mary's church the altars were beautiful with flowers and out of the large congregation there were 124 communicants.

For Spring!

A Store Full of New Spring Merchandise

Spring Coats \$15.00 to \$42.50

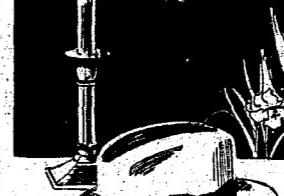
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New Spring Dresses \$10.75 and \$16.50

A Beautiful line of Ladies' and Children's NEW SPRING SHOES

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King's Son Hunts Big Game



H. R. H. the duke of Gloucester, (right) on a motor trolley on the Tanga railway, near Dodoma, during his recent hunting expedition in the wilds of East Africa. On the left is a railway official.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Hoover Will Give Jobs Only to Those Who Prove Their Fitness.

A RIGID scrutiny of all applicants for federal appointments is to be the policy of the present administration. President Hoover has announced in no uncertain terms that in the future every applicant for office in the government service must demonstrate his fitness for the job. His first move in this direction is the repudiation of the present Republican organizations in Mississippi, South Carolina and Georgia, on the grounds of irresponsibility and corruption, and the demand that they be replaced by Republican leaders possessing in integrity and the confidence of their communities. In Texas, Alabama, Florida and some other states, where the existing leadership has fallen into disrepute, the President announced that these leaders would be compelled to divide authority with advisory committees acceptable to the administration.

The President's action is based on the report of the Brookhart committee of the senate which made an investigation into the sale of federal appointments and other political corruption in that region.

This important announcement by the President was brought out by questions at the press conference at the White House. He said:

"Recent exposure of abuse in recommendations for federal office, particularly in some parts of the states of South Carolina, Georgia and Mississippi, under which some of the federal departments, mainly the post office, were misled in appointments, obviously render it impossible for the old organizations in those states to command the confidence of the administration, although many members of these organizations are not subject to criticism. But such conditions are intolerable to public service, are repugnant to the ideals and purposes of the Republican party, are unjust to the people of the South and must be ended."

"The duty of reorganization, so as to correct these conditions, rests with the people of those states, and all efforts to that end will receive the hearty co-operation of the administration. If these three states are unable to initiate such organization through the leadership of men who will command confidence and protect the public service, the different federal departments will be compelled to adopt other methods to secure advice as to the selection of federal employees."

"In other states, including Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas and Florida, the Republican leadership has in recent times shown increasing strength and is now rendering able and conscientious service in maintaining wholesome organization, under whose aegis the appointments to public office have steadily improved and commended themselves to the citizens of those states with increased confidence in the party."

A VERITABLE earthquake hit the stock market early in the week when call money went skyward. The first jump to 14 per cent caused a first-class money scare in Wall street. Stocks came roaring down with a crash. Frightened traders sold for any price they could get, almost demoralizing the market. There was no sustained support, the rich men's stocks giving the most ground and the standard issues crumbling along with the good and the bad.

When call money later reached 20 per cent, the highest since 1920, records, prices and bank accounts went smash. Odd lot dabblers and the heavy pluggers dumped their holdings overboard when they could no longer wait for the rally which came, but came too late. The market never was so violent. Later, when bargain hunters, investment trusts and institutions began buying, prices began the upward swing and recovered some of the ground lost.

Toward the end of the week the bulls recovered control of the market when assurances came that the money panic was not to be continued. Money eased to 16 per cent and was in adequate supply. New York banks kept the market unhampered as to any stringency in funds. The National City bank sent \$25,000,000 over to the

Bank of America, and to be loaned at rates from 16 to 20 per cent. J. P. Morgan sent over \$10,000,000. This brought some cheer to the situation. Short covering got under way and prices reacted buoyantly.

Under the urging of the federal reserve board the strings about the credit supply have for some time been drawing tighter and tighter. It is the plan of the board to bring about a diversion of the country's money from speculative markets to normal channels of business. Should the week's mammoth liquidation serve its purpose, bankers anticipate a gradual relaxation of the purse strings.

One result of the market upset was that several houses sent out notices to their customers that hereafter all margins would be 50 per cent. Brokerage firms admitted that if the federal reserve policy was continued and if the banks persisted in refusing to accept all kinds of securities and continued marking down the loaning rates, all margins in the street would have to be 50 per cent to ease the strain on the brokers.

THE arrival in Washington of Henry L. Stimson, former governor general of the Philippines to take up his new duties as secretary of state, completes President Hoover's cabinet. Secretary Stimson immediately plunged into the work of familiarizing himself with pending problems and the duties of the office. Former Secretary Kellogg remained with him for a few days to give what assistance was necessary.

The new secretary of state finds himself confronted with several matters of high importance such as American participation in the arms parity at Geneva, the Mexican revolution, American adherence to the World court on the basis of the Root substitute for the senate's reservations, the German reparations question, and necessary changes in the diplomatic corps.

PRESIDENT HOOVER has appointed Col. Henry L. Gilchrist, medical corps, to succeed Maj. Gen. Amos E. Fries as chief of the chemical warfare service, and Col. Stephen O. Fuqua to succeed Maj. Gen. Robert H. Allen as chief of infantry. Both General Fries and General Allen, whose terms of office have expired, will revert to their regular rank of colonel, but both will be eligible to retirement as major general on application or because of age limit.

The appointments of Colonels Gilchrist and Fuqua, who will rank as major generals during their four-year terms, was in accordance with the rotation policy adopted, but not always followed, during the last administration, and which was endorsed as "sound and in the interests of good administration" by Secretary of War Good.

A NOTHER airplane disaster has taken its toll of those who venture in the air. A pilot and three passengers were killed when the Ryan monoplane in which they were flying from Columbus to New York crashed into a tree in a dense fog on South mountain between Colebrook and Mount Gretna, Pa. Witnesses said that when the plane hit the tree it wavered, then rose slightly, turned over on its side, and crashed into the dense thicket. All of the men were dead when workmen from the Pennsylvania National Guard encampment grounds nearby reached the scene. It is believed the pilot lost his way in the fog and was trying to get his bearings over the military reservation, when the accident happened.

The preliminary work of the reparations commission in Paris has been completed and the conference has settled down to a discussion of the actual problem of figures. Chairman Owen D. Young said: "The work of the committee had reached a point where we must consider figures before proceeding further in order to

fit them into the scheme already written down. The only problem facing us is the number of annuities and the amount each year."

It is generally admitted that the total indemnity will be in the neighborhood of ten billions of dollars, but it remains to be figured out at the present value through the discount rate over the number of years it runs. The Germans stand pat for 87 years, and the French insist on 58 years.

REPUBLICAN members of the house committee on agriculture, which is conducting hearings on the

farm relief program, are said to be almost unanimous in their approval of President Hoover's farm relief program. All the Republican members of the house committee as well as the members of the senate committee, which is also conducting hearings, have conferred with the President and have been acquainted privately with his general views on the form which legislation should take.

THE Europe, pride of the German merchant marine, worth about \$12,000,000, was completely gutted by fire. The building of the ship had taken about 18 months or patient night and day labor and was practically finished. Owing to the large quantities of paint, tar, oil and other inflammable materials aboard, the frenzied found themselves up against a hopeless task in fighting the flames. An overheated plumber's stove was believed to have caused the conflagration

THE Mexican revolution is slowly disintegrating. The army of Gen. Elias Calles continues its relentless plodding northward. Jiminez, former headquarters of the rebel commander-in-chief, Gen. Jose Gonzalo Escobar, has been occupied by the federal forces. The rebels abandoned the place on the approach of the federal troops.

The town of Douglas, Ariz., has got in bad because of the revolution. Charges that two city-owned machine guns and 87,000 rounds of ammunition had been sold to the Mexican rebels for \$2,000 and that the city received only \$500 of the money precipitated an investigation of the whole city administration by the United States Department of Justice. Several city officials were arrested and later released under bonds pending trial on charges of conspiring to smuggle arms across the border.

THE Radio Corporation of America has sold its communication interests to the International Telegraph and Telephone company, receiving stock equivalent to \$100,000,000. The deal makes I. T. & T. the largest international communications system in the world and apparently leaves Radio Corporation as a manufacturing and distributing company for radio apparatus, phonographs and talking films, divorcing it completely from communication enterprises.

TORNADOES and rains have added to the horrors the South has had to endure lately. Taking stock of the damage while floods still raged in some sections it was found that 46 lives was the toll taken by the two elements in six states. The greatest loss of life was in Tennessee, where 20 lives were lost at Harriman, seven at Rockwood and three at Webster. Four of the deaths were in Kentucky. With the exception of Tennessee and Kentucky, where major streams were rising, conditions were improving over the South.

Along the upper Mississippi the river continues to rise slowly. Police and militia are on guard at the danger spots to protect the property of those who have been forced from their homes by the flood.

A COMIC opera revolt which broke out in the principality of Monaco lasted all of 25 minutes and left the country completely paralyzed for most of a day. A band of 600 determined citizens marched to the castle of Prince Louis and forced him under pain of abdication to rescind the decree which have recently turned the tiny principality into a hotbed of unrest. The most important decree that Louis was forced to repeat was that for the cancellation of the municipal elections. The citizens celebrated their victory by spending the rest of the day in a cafe.

MOST of the world shares with France its great sorrow in the loss of its distinguished soldier, Marshal Ferdinand Foch, generalissimo of all the allied armies during the World war, who died Wednesday in Paris. Marshal Foch was seventy-eight years of age and had been ill for nearly three months. He suffered an attack of influenza which developed into a pulmonary trouble and was followed by complications of the kidneys. A resultant heart weakness claimed him.

Not since Napoleon's body was brought back from St. Helena in 1840 has France witnessed a funeral of such surpassing pomp as that arranged under direction of the French chamber of deputies to honor the dead marshal. For twenty-four hours previous to the funeral, which was held on the 26th, the body lay in state under the Arc de Triomphe, near the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. The high and low, the rich and poor, in continuous procession passed by the bier to pay homage to France's greatest hero of modern times.

Gen. John J. Pershing, who was one of the marshal's most intimate associates and supporters during the war and who is recovering in Paris from influenza, expected to go to the Riviera for recuperation, but canceled his departure to attend the funeral and act as one of the honorary pall-bearers.

Honor seldom paid to any one but the most distinguished American soldiers was the tribute of the United States army to the memory of Marshal Foch. General Pershing was designated to represent the army at the funeral in Paris. On the day of the funeral, the flag at every military post and station was displayed at half mast and salute of twenty-one guns was fired at regular intervals during the day.

President Hoover, immediately on learning of the great marshal's death, dispatched a message to the French government expressing the sorrow of the American people for the people of France over the loss of a great national hero. Warm tribute to the military genius and fine human qualities of Marshal Foch was paid by other high officials of the government.

When Marshal Foch, with sure grasp, remarkable strategy, and rare power of co-ordination, was directing the allied effort which finally broke the German hosts, he was in command of more men than anyone had led in the history of the world. Marshal

Foch first attracted world attention at the first battle of the Marne, when he sent the iconic message to his chief, Marshal Joffre, "My left and right wings are shattered. I shall attack with my center." He did and broke up the German offensive and forced a retreat.

It was this success, with its manifestations of bulldog determination to win even in defeat, that singled him out as the man for supreme leadership when unified command of all the allied armies was decided upon in the spring of 1918.

So it comes that almost on the eleventh anniversary of the greatest moment of his career, when to him passed command of a military machine more vast than any the world had ever dreamed of, Foch, hero of the Marne, has breathed his last.

In 1921 Marshal Foch came to this country as a guest of the American Legion. He covered 20,000 miles and his journey led him through the Eastern states, the wheat fields of the Middle West, the vast plains of Texas, and the plantations in the South. His trip was climaxed in the national convention of the Legion at Kansas City.

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THE Mexican revolution is rapidly petering out. The expected great battle at Torreon failed to materialize when the rebels evacuated the place and started their retreat northward. At last accounts they were still going.

Gen. Jesus M. Aguirre, rebel leader in Vera Cruz, was captured at Agua Catell, following a battle in which many were killed on both sides. He was promptly court-martialed and executed. President Portes Gil ordered photographs taken of General Aguirre before and after execution. These will be used to prove to the public that Aguirre has really been executed.

The government continues to meet its pay rolls despite the mounting costs of war expenses.

Future revolutions in Mexico must count with the radio and the broadcasting stations, officials say. The decisions, the discontent, and the quarrels of the rival rebel leaders were made known to the Mexican people almost as soon as they were known in the rebel camps, and this has had a powerful effect on the popular mind.

BIDS for the construction of ten of the fifteen cruisers authorized by the naval building bill passed by the last congress are to be asked by Secretary of the Navy Adams. Designs of the new cruisers have been completed and all that now remains is for the Navy department to set forth the terms under which the bids will be asked. The new vessels are to be the fastest and most powerful cruisers of their class ever constructed in the United States. Three of the vessels will be built in government yards and the balance in private establishments. Five ships are to be started this year and five the latter part of 1930.

PRESIDENT HOOVER has already found two places convenient to Washington where he can indulge in his favorite sport of fishing whenever opportunity affords. Two places with short distances of the capital have been placed at his disposal. One of these is the historic Catoctin Manor estate at Catoctin, Md. The second fishing place selected is in Shenandoah National park, Virginia. A new game lodge to be erected near the head waters of the Rapidan river in the Blue Ridge mountains will be occupied by the President during his fishing trips in that section.

SENATOR BORAH has announced his determination to oppose American entrance into the World court when the revised protocol is sent to the senate in December.

In a statement issued in Washington, Senator Borah attacked the World court as representing merely the legal department of the League of Nations and denounced its authority to issue advisory opinions in international disputes of the league.

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The new Root formula, the senator contended, does not afford the United States protection against advisory opinions.

OFFICIAL inquiry has failed to fix the blame for the accident in which 14 passengers were killed when a giant tri-motored Ford passenger plane crashed at Newark, N. J. The accident, the worst in heavier-than-air aviation in this country, occurred when the plane, loaded with sightseeing passengers, fighting a gale with disabled engines, crashed into an iron freight car and was cut in two.

Gov. Henry S. Johnston has been removed from the office of governor of Oklahoma, by the state senate court of impeachment and that body found him guilty of a charge of general incompetency, preferred by the house of representatives. He was exonerated on nine other charges brought by the house. The senate vote came as a dramatic climax to more than two years of political turbulence, which reached the impeachment pitch in 1927. At that time, however, Johnston succeeded in dispersing hostile legislators by court action after they had sought to convene on their own call.

LEGISLATION necessary to transfer responsibility for prohibition enforcement from the Treasury department to the Department of Justice, as recommended by President Hoover in his inaugural address, is in course of preparation, according to Attorney General Mitchell.

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